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This letter serves as a correction to the Examiner's Answer mailed December 10, 2008. The following sections of the Answer are corrected herein:

1. On the cover page, "This is in response to the appeal brief filed September 26, 2008 appealing from the Office action mailed December 19, 2007. "

Further, please find a copy attached hereto of the IDS filed 12/30/05, initialed as considered and signed by the examiner.

NO further action is required of applicant at this time.

/Melanie J Hand/  
Examiner, Art Unit 3761